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BY ECF Honorable P. Kevin Castel United States District Judge United States Courthouse 500 Pearl Street New York, NY 10007

> Re: <u>United States v. Tucker</u> 16 CR 91

Dear Judge Castel:

Given the voluminous nature of the Motions in Limine in this matter, we write to request oral argument on the motions and if the Court permits such oral argument to schedule a date for such a conference. In addition, we write to inquire whether the Court plans to sit Monday through Friday for the upcoming trial in this matter. Because the defendants and counsel for Tim Muir reside in Kansas and will have to make accommodations for trial, it would facilitate this process if the parties were aware of the Court's inclination regarding scheduling.

Respectfully Submitted,
/s/ Lee A. Ginsberg
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